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CPS HUMAN RESOURCE SERVICES OPENS 20 OFFICES ACROSS THE COUNTRY

New offices to serve as Hiring Centers and also support CPS Consulting Services

Sacramento, CA – CPS Human Resource Services will open a record number of 20 new offices by the close of 2004. These offices will support the Airport Screener Recruitment and Hiring contract with the Transportation Security Administration (TSA). The new offices will also support the growing CPS Consulting Services practice.

"This is an unprecedented effort for CPS," declared Jerry Greenwell, CEO of CPS Human Resource Services. "The 20 offices will serve as hiring centers for the TSA project and allow CPS to move ahead with the planned growth of consulting services around the country."

CPS will open the new offices in the following cities: Anchorage, Atlanta, Boston, Chicago, Dallas, Denver, Ft. Lauderdale, Honolulu, Houston, Los Angeles, Memphis, Minneapolis, New York, Newark, Philadelphia, Phoenix, Sacramento, Seattle, Tampa, and Washington, D.C.

The new offices and TSA hiring model will enable CPS to assess up to 345 airport screening candidates every day. The newly-configured teams are strategically located in close proximity to the nation's largest airports to further facilitate a close working relationship with individual Airport Security Directors, making them much more involved with the recruiting and hiring processes.

"Opening the new offices begins the nationwide rollout of Local Hiring Centers to better respond to the recruitment and hiring needs of the more than 420 U.S. airports," said Bill Zanow, Program Manager for the TSA project. "The safety of our country is paramount to everything we do. The CPS project team has worked tirelessly to find solutions to improve and increase efficiencies in recruiting and hiring airport screeners."

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The new offices will also further enable the CPS Consulting Practice to expand service to clients. "Our local presences in these 20 cities will enable CPS to be even more flexible and responsive to meet the needs our clients," said Bob Lavigna, Client Services Manager - East. By early 2005, CPS will have a fully-staffed Consulting Services office in Atlanta, Georgia to serve its expanding roster of clients in the South and East.

About CPS Human Resource Services

As an independent and self-supporting public agency, CPS is helping to improve management and human resources in the public sector. CPS provides Management Consulting, Training, Assessment, Examination Services, Certification and Licensing, and Executive Search Services to more than 1,000 local, state, and federal government agencies, special districts, nonprofit organizations and institutions of higher education throughout North America.

CPS Human Resource Services is governed by a 10 member public agency board of directors consisting of representatives of: the State of California; City of Anaheim; East Bay Municipal Utilities District; Hayward Unified School District; City of Las Vegas; the City University of New York; Sacramento County; City/County of San Francisco; Sonoma County; and the State of Wisconsin.

CPS currently has offices in California, Wisconsin, and Washington D.C.

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